

Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development**Grants to Named Recipients (AS 37.05.316)****Grant Recipient: Glenn Rich Fire and Rescue****Project Title:****Glenn Rich Fire and Rescue - Building Construction****State Funding Requested: \$ 75,000****House District: 6 - C**

Future Funding May Be Requested

Brief Project Description:

Completion of building to house fire and rescue service for community

Funding Plan:**Total Cost of Project: \$144,000**Funding Secured*Amount FY*Other Pending Requests*Amount FY*Anticipated Future Need*Amount FY*

There is no other funding needed

Detailed Project Description and Justification:

The Glenn Rich Fire Rescue is an incorporated entity that combines the volunteer fire departments of Copper Center and Glennallen to further enhance the preparedness and efficiency of two organizations to provide service to communities along the Richardson and Glenn Highways. Partnerships agreements exist with many different entities, including Tazlina Residents Association, Tolsona Community Corporation, Copper River Native Association, Silver Springs Residents Association, and other community and business groups.

In an effort to provide expedient and efficient emergency responses in the area of 105 Mile Old Richardson Highway, additional space is needed to be added onto the Silver Springs Fire Barn. The proposal is to add an additional eighteen hundred square feet of addition to the current fire barn in order to house fire and rescue equipment within a five mile response distance of residences within the area. This project, when completed, will also allow the individual homeowners of the area the potential to save a significant amount on their residential insurance premiums since there will be required equipment for ISO Class 8 certification.

The proposed addition is the construction of a 30' X 60' monolithic cement foundation/floor (6"), 2 X 6 wood frame/steel covered building with urethane foam insulation. The estimated cost of this structure is \$144,000 based on industry construction cost average of \$80.00 per square foot.

The fire department already owns the existing structure and all the apparatus and support equipment for the complete matriculation of the completed structure.

Project Timeline:

2008 - 2010

Entity Responsible for the Ongoing Operation and Maintenance of this Project:

Glenn Rich Fire and Rescue

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Has this project been through a public review process at the local level and is it a community priority? ☒ Yes ☐ No